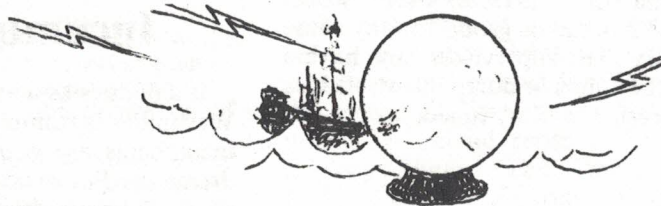


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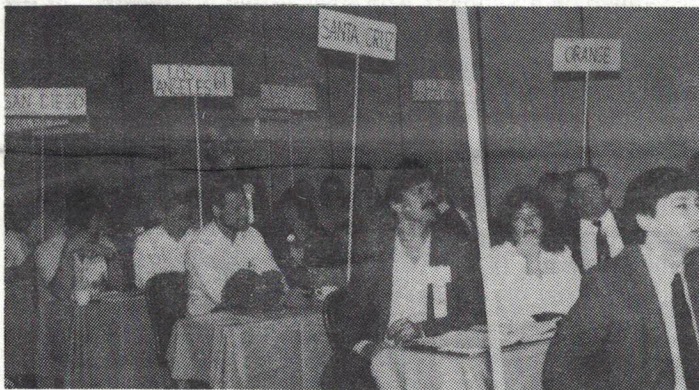
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What's Ahead for the LPC

Nolan Raises Storm Warning



LAS VEGAS: California Libertarian activists and delegates met over Presidents Day Weekend (Feb. 17-20) at the Alexis Park Resort Hotel to celebrate the LPC annual convention. The Nevada LP held its convention at the same time, and there was a special meeting of state chairs which brought Libertarians from other parts of the country.

The schedule was set up so that speaker events and workshops were held only in the afternoon, while the business of the Convention was conducted in the morning—an arrangement that effectively solved the on-going problem of delegates leaving the Convention floor to attend other activities. This year there was always a quorum, and though debate was lively, delegates were not ground down by prolonged floor discussion. Best of all, the orders of the day were completed on time.

The mood of cautious optimism which characterized the speeches at other conventions the past few years, was replaced by an even greater awareness of the odds we face. Keynote speaker David Nolan, founder of the Libertarian Party, put it bluntly: "The Party is in an era of hostility. . . in this country there is a swing towards authoritarianism." And he warned, "Most people are not 'really' libertarian—as we often claim. . . Libertarianism bashing is 'in' —so be prepared for the storm!"

To help weather the storm David stressed importance of networking: "The single most important goal for the Party is the creation of a network of hardy, freedom loving people—folks that can collaborate with us on different issues. . . We must create an awareness of liberty among other groups in an era where we're all under seige. We need to become the champions of those whose lives are being destroyed by the IRS, the DEA, and the other agencies. We must develop the reputation of being the ones who are concerned about violations of rights. We must create an awareness of liberty. We have to shift our emphasis to actively defending our rights."

It was a sobering address, yet inspiring, and it was heartening to see that rather than being discouraged by such grim facts of life as the official vote totals of the past election and the trend towards authoritarianism, attendees seemed eager for more activity in the world of real-politics and enthusiastically discussed plans for lobbying efforts and the voter registration drive. It may well be the level of activism could reach very high plateaus over the next few years.

• **State Officers Elected:** New officers were elected generally by acclamation, there being only one contested race. Former Region 61 chair John Vernon was chosen as state chair; Neal

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The Future of Freedom

The Future of Freedom Conference (FoFCon) is Mar. 25 and 26, at Fort Mason National Park in San Francisco. Registration fee is \$75 until Mar. 15, then it goes up. The Conference will feature the San Francisco premier of the film of Ayn Rand's novel *We the Living*. Jim Lewis, the LP vice-presidential candidate in 1984, is a featured speaker. Jim has just been released from jail after his battle with the IRS and he is still on parole. Other speakers are Martin Anderson, Robert Sheaffer, Mikhail Bernstam and Lew Rockwell. For titles of the talks and more speakers, check the ad on page 6 for full details.

News and Events from the Regions

A Victory for June Genis

June Genis, Libertarian activist in San Mateo County, was more than a little successful in her petition drive to put a halt on the self-approve. The initial requirement was 20,000 signatures to be gathered during a six week period. June was able on the last day of filing to walk into the Registrar's office with 41,000 signatures. You read that right. 4-1-0-0-0!

CLNews has been told that this represents the first successful referendum by any individual or group for any cause in San Mateo County history. The supervisors now have a choice: either they put it to the voters or dump the whole idea of a pay raise right in the trash can. Stay tuned.

Here and There

SAN DIEGO: Dick Rider, chair, has been on two radio talk shows discussing the savings and loan crisis, private insurance, and related issues. The first was an hour long program on KVSD, the second was for a 15-minute segment on the very popular Roger Hedgecock program on KSDO. The chance to appear on talk shows doesn't just happen. San Diego County Libertarians put together speakers lists, along with adequate resumes of the speakers, and sent these to the various media.

SACRAMENTO and YOLO COUNTIES: At a February meeting, Bryce Bigwood was elected to serve as chair, while David Henderson was elected to continue as treasurer. He will also be the contact person for Sacramento County. David reports: "There was lively interest in discussing our goals which included both self-education and political activism." A second meeting was set for Mar. 11.

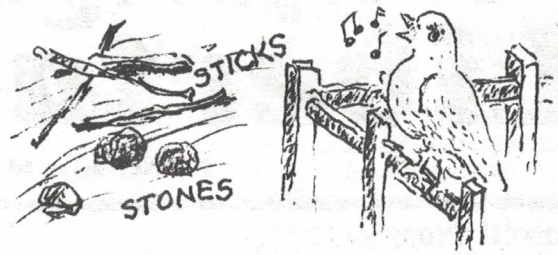
REGION 67 (East San Gabriel Valley): Libertarians will be holding registration marathons once a month at shopping centers and other places where there are sure to be crowds. The idea is to set up tables, and as people register they'll be invited to a potluck dinner for that evening at the home of one of the members. Says chair Gail Lightfoot: "This way the new libertarians will have a chance to meet us and ask questions. It'll be both a worthwhile day and evening." A marathon will be held in March, but the date was not firmed up as of press time. However, the April date and place is definite: it's April 22 at the Montclair City Celebration.

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Incumbents Attack Robin

It's politics as usual in Glendale, where Libertarian Robin Westmiller is running a hard campaign for city council. The incumbents are going for her with every charge they can dream up. For example: Robin is a active member of Temple Sinai. The program committee of the Temple decided to hold a candidates' forum and scheduled one for Sunday, Feb. 26. To focus discussion they chose the topic, "Human Relations." Seems innocuous enough, but not to those ensconced at City Hall. Although the challengers accepted the invitation eagerly, incumbent Ginger Bremberg held a press conference and attacked Robin and Temple Sinai for being "anti-Christian." Why otherwise would a meeting be scheduled on a Sunday? And since Robin is a member of the Human Relations Council (a civic group), clearly she must have had some sneaky reason for wanting to limit discussion to that topic.

Robin, who had nothing to do with the scheduling or the selection of the topic, said so to the press—adding, "even if it were so, so what?" So what indeed! Robin is incensed, not only at the charges being leveled against her, but at the fact that the press conference where she was attacked was held on public property (City Hall) and at public expense. "I don't appreciate my tax dollars being spent for this sort of thing," says Robin.

Nor do we. CLNews predicted "real fireworks" in this campaign, but so far the incumbents are resorting to plain old mudslinging. The election is in April; Robin can be contacted at (818) 243-5111.

March Hikes

Bay Area: Saturday, Mar. 11, 10:03 a.m., Blue Ridge Trail in Marin County. You'll enjoy rolling hills, streams (there's still some water in them) and at the picnic area, there's a grand view of San Francisco Bay. Of course at this time of year the wild flowers should be in bloom. 700 ft. elevation climb, five miles round trip. Contact: Lloyd Licher, (415) 472-3294.

Los Angeles: No hike in March. For information on the April hike call Alan Pendleton, (213) 392-2181.

San Diego: Saturday, Mar. 25, 9:45 a.m., a hike up and over Fortuna Mountain, the second highest point in the city of San Diego (1,291 feet), then circle the base, trek through fields of wildflowers, and return via Oak Creek Canyon, "a rare riparian habitat"—according to the press release. Contact: Sara Baase, (619) 460-9136.

• **Important Disclaimer:** These hikes are not an officially sponsored activity of the Libertarian Party. Each person's safety is his or her responsibility. Watch out for wild flowers, and beware the rare riparian in its habitat.

Lessons We Can Learn from the Wealthy

John Vernon

John Vernon is the newly elected chair of the Libertarian Party of California. Here he shares some thoughts on how we can learn from those who have been successful in the market place of commerce. The methods used would be just as successful for us as we compete in the market place of ideas.

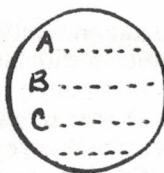
At the meeting of the chairs of the Libertarian parties from across the U.S., held in conjunction with the LPC convention in Las Vegas, former vice-presidential candidate Andre Marrou stated, "There's nothing libertarian about 'Libertarian Standard Time.'" Being habitually late, he pointed out, is more unlibertarian than stealing money, since there is no way the theft of time can be restituted.

Not only is habitual lateness unlibertarian, it works against our goal of winning people to our cause. At a recent regional meeting, one guest walked out because the program started an hour and a half later than advertised, the result of a miscommunication, but nevertheless a poignant example of what can happen when we are late in starting events.



Lesson 1: Be Prompt, Start on Time

When I lived in Oklahoma City, I had the honor of planning the engagement dinner of the granddaughter of Edward King Gaylord, publisher of the Oklahoma City Times, whose fortune when he died was estimated in excess of \$300 million. On his hundredth birthday he addressed the state legislature and declared he always made it a point to be at least 15 minutes early for any important event. I knew this to be true, as he was the first to arrive at the restaurant the night of his granddaughter's dinner. It seems to me that if a person as busy as Mr. Gaylord was could find time to be punctual, we who claim to be pure libertarians can do so as well. We should begin now to plan our events to start at times when people can reasonably be expected to arrive, and to begin those events on time.



Lesson 2: Success Requires a Plan

One of my first acts as chair of the LPC has been to appoint Philip Myers to head a Long Term Plan Committee. The Party has a well-developed Platform and well-defined Rules and Bylaws. But the one area with which we have not dealt is the formation of a long term plan with specific goals and targets.

Phil recently pointed out to me that when he wrote his thesis for his PhD in business administration at Harvard, his research revealed that in a survey of 100 businesses that succeeded and 100 that failed, the one thing they had in common was the presence or absence of a well-developed long term plan.

One of my goals this next year is to develop such a plan, with specific targets for membership, registration and fundraising, and dates for achieving those goals. If you have items you would like to see included in the plan, please contact Phil or myself about your ideas. Phil's telephone is (818) 780-9943.

I cannot think of an enterprise more important than the one in which we are engaged: the maximizing of individual freedom. We need a plan to succeed, just as much as those who succeed in making money, and within the next year we will have one.

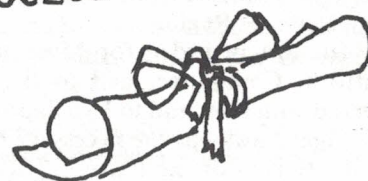


Lesson 3: A Smile Works Magic

Billionaire Sam Walton, chairman of Wal-Mart and the wealthiest man in America, has a plan for making more money than he already has: "It's simple. It won't cost us anything, and I believe it would just work magic, absolute magic on our customers, and our sales would escalate, and I think we'd just shoot past our K-Mart friends in a year or two and probably Sears as well," he is quoted in a recent Fortune article. "It would, I'm sure, help you become a leader, it would help your personality, develop, you would become more outgoing, and in time you might become a department manager, you might become district manager, or whatever you choose to be in the company. . . it will do wonders for you." His associates are then asked to raise their hands and take this pledge, "From this day forward, I solemnly promise and declare that every customer that comes within ten feet of me, I will smile, look them in the eye, and greet them, so help me Sam."

As we embark on our registration drive with its goal of doubling the registration of the LP within the next 20 months, I offer my variation of Sam's pledge, to be taken by our registration volunteers: "From this day forward, I solemnly promise and declare that every potential registrant that comes within ten feet of me, I will smile, look them in the eye and greet them, so help me Miss Liberty." I can tell you this approach works from my days spent greeting voters in front of the post office and other locations. You will develop more confidence about your ability to sell libertarianism, and also help change the image Libertarians seem to have of being argumentative and confrontational, to one in which Libertarians are seen as people who really do want others to enjoy freedom. I invite you to take this pledge with me and to remember, "a promise we make is a promise we keep." Who knows, You might even become chairman of the Party.

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New Director at Reason

Jack Dean, former LPC state chair, has been named Executive Director of the Reason Foundation. Since 1976, Jack has worked hard on behalf of the Libertarian Party and other libertarian activities, and received the first Karl Bray Award for his efforts toward ensuring permanent ballot status for the LPC. He served four years as the Orange County chair (1979-82), two years as state chair (1984-86), and was on the National Committee for a year. Jack also is founder of the Liberty Forum Supper Club, which meets every month and features speakers and programs on topics relating to individual liberty.

Convention Report

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Donner, former chair of Region 62, is now southern vice chair. Mark Sweany, chair of Butte Co., begins a second term as northern vice-chair; while Ventura County chair Aaron Starr takes over from Dave Maxwell as treasurer. In the only contested race, Region 67 chair Gail Lightfoot won the position of secretary from Cullene Lang who has served two-terms.

CLNews wishes great success to the new officers in their work during the months ahead, and would like to extend many thanks to this past year's officers for their hard work, enthusiasm, and jobs well done: to chair Ted Brown, southern vice-chair Kim Goldsworthy, Mark Sweany, Cullene Lang, and Dave Maxwell.

• **NatCom Reps Elected:** In accordance with a newly adopted bylaw that provides for election of National Committee reps by delegates to the State Convention, rather than by California delegates to the National Convention, delegates elected five members to serve on NatCom: Mary Gingell, Geoffrey Neale, George O'Brien, Lyn Sapowsky, Sam Treynor.

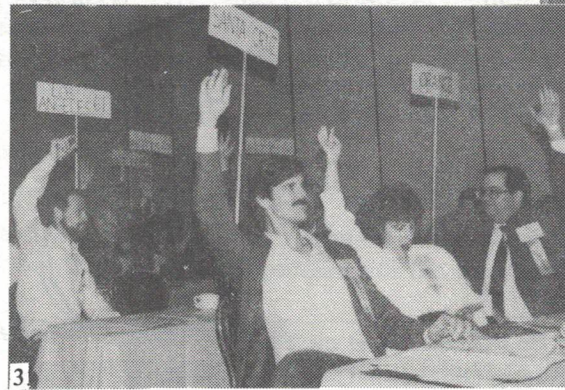
The names of delegates to the National Convention (to be held Labor Day Weekend) will be published next month.

• **Samuel Adams Awards Luncheon:** A Convention highlight the year following a statewide election is the awarding of the Sons of Liberty Award by the Samuel Adams Society, which goes to the LPC candidate whom the Society believes was the most effective in communicating libertarian principles to the voters of his or her district. This year the coveted award went to Dennis Thompson of San Diego County and candidate for the 80th Congressional District. Congratulations, Dennis.

The Karl Bray Award for outstanding activism is given only to that individual who in the opinion of all three judges merits it. The judges were unable to arrive at a unanimous agreement, so there was no presentation this year.

• **Acknowledgements:** Thanks for the idea of arranging the schedule in a way that eliminated conflict between business and activities should go to Cullene Lang, the convention organizer. She also deserves our thanks for developing the program, lining up speakers, and overseeing the many details that go with putting on an event like this. Thanks also to the committee that helped Cullene: her sister, Gigi King; Sylvia Barton, and Dave and Edna Nichols of Region 66; and Geoff and Nancy Neale of Region 61.

More thank yous are in order for Mike Iddings, who chaired the Platform Committee, and to the stalwart individuals who served with him; and to Lyn Sapowsky and her committee who plugged away at the necessary but thankless task of refining the Bylaws of the Party.



1. Meet the new officers (l-r): John Vernon, Neal Donner, Mark Sweany, Aaron Starr, Gail Lightfoot.
2. Ron Paul at the podium.
3. Raise your arm if you're sure (guess they are): Delegates Mark and Linda Hinkle in foreground, Steve Alexander at right.

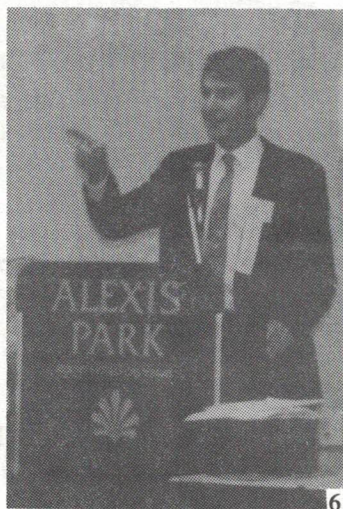
Two Committees C

Richard V

There are now two national Libertarian Party committees, each raising money to help with ballot access petition drives. The Ballot Access Committee (BAC), chaired by Burt Blumert, is an official arm of the national party. Project 51-'92, headed by Andre Marrou, is an unofficial group organized as a PAC. Each has recently sent out fund-raising letters to Libertarians across the country.

There is nothing necessarily wrong with having two national ballot access fund-raising organizations, "competing" with each other. The personnel of the BAC (Burt Blumert and Paul Jacob) did an outstanding job with ballot access during the months of May through Sept. 1988. In July 1988 alone, efforts funded by the committee collected approximately 111,000 valid signatures. No petition drive undertaken by the committee ended in failure—the problem in Missouri, which kept Ron Paul's name off the ballot, was related to candidacy forms for presidential elector candidates, not to the petition itself.

On the other hand, the personnel of the new committee, Project 51'92, have also been doing an excellent job. Project



4. "I'd like to make a motion—": LP founder David Nolan.
5. Former national chair Alicia Clark (l) with Honey Lanham, former LP executive director.
6. "I recognize the delegate from—": LPC chair Ted Brown. (Photo by Marion McEwen).

Can Help the LP Vinger

51-'92 has already made preliminary plans, and raised a substantial sum of money, to launch a petition drive for the Libertarian Party of North Carolina. If the LP qualifies in North Carolina for the 1990 election, it will also automatically be on the ballot in 1992. Project 51-'92 has also already helped the Missouri LP to lobby for bills in the legislature, easing ballot access.

The national Ballot Access Committee plans to launch a Maryland petition drive in March.

The committees are working efficiently to improve our ballot access position, each with a specific agenda and approach to the problem which differ one from the other, though their ultimate goal is the same: i.e., ballot status. I expect the "competition" will help combat the dangers of complacency and serve as a spur to greater efficiency and desire for achievement. I urge every Libertarian to support both committees.

Richard Vinger is editor/publisher of *Ballot Access News*, 3201 Baker St., San Francisco, 94123; and winner of the 1987 Karl Bray Award for his work on achieving ballot access for the LP.

Is Your Newsletter Late?

If you live in one of the outlying counties, particularly those north of Fresno, chances are it takes up to three weeks for *CLNews* to get from Los Angeles to your mailbox. To solve this problem, the state Executive Committee has authorized a \$5.00 First Class Mail option for members and subscribers. This means for just \$5.00 a year, in addition to the regular dues or subscription fee, you can be put on a special First Class List and your newsletter will be removed from the bulk mail. If you want your newsletter sent by First Class mail, please indicate this on the membership form on page 7 and send it with a \$5.00 (payable to the LPC) to the office in San Jose. Of course, you can renew your membership at the same time.

• **Watch New Deadline:** To further expedite matters, John Vernon has asked that the deadline for articles, regional news, etc. be set at the 15th of the month instead of the Saturday nearest the 21st. Please get your news in by then.

Libertarian Begins Recall Drive

On Jan. 19, at the regular city council meeting, Libertarian activist Randy Myrseth of National City in San Diego Co. served Mayor George Waters with a notice of intent to circulate a recall petition. The notice enumerated nine grounds for recall, including misusing city funds and ignoring the wishes of the community. The charges were, predictably enough, denied by Mayor Waters. Waters said he *needed* to redecorate his office. He *needed* the car that was provided him by the city, and the city council had approved his acquisition of a VCR—so that made it OK. And he *needed* that five percent pay raise—which is why the council gave it to him. Also, it wasn't fair for Randy to make an issue of the fact that Waters had sold city property to developers for a quarter of its value. This had been done to boost sales tax revenue, so it was really done for the "good" of the community. "I'm not going to pay any attention to Randy Myrseth's petition," Mayor Waters told the press. "That's up to the general public. They know what I've been doing for the last 20 years."

Yes, Mr. Waters, we do know. We know very well. We know it was the city council, of which you were then a member, acting in its role of redevelopment agency, which condemned a beautiful private golf course [Sweetwater Golf Course] as blighted, and sold it cheap to developers for a shopping center. For students of redevelopment iniquities, National City and the Sweetwater decisions are all too well known.

Sorry, *CLNews* has to agree with Randy Myrseth that starting a recall campaign against George Waters is "the best thing anyone could do for this city."

Randy has to collect the signatures of 20 percent of the 17,046 registered voters in National City in order for the petition to succeed. That's 3,410 valid signatures by 5:00 p.m. on June 9. He reports that so far response has been good. To help, and for an update, Randy can be reached at (619) 474-4412.

Randy Myrseth was the LPC candidate for the 80th Assembly District seat against Steve Peace in the November elections, and won the endorsement of the local daily, *Star News*.

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MARTIN ANDERSON

"Inside the Reagan Revolution"

Former chief domestic and economic policy adviser to President Reagan (1980-1982). Author of several books on national policy, urban renewal, welfare reform and conscription.

ROBERT SHEAFFER

"Resentment Against Achievement"

Sheaffer is a founder of the Committee for the Scientific Investigation of the Paranormal and author of *Resentment Against Achievement*.

GEORGE AYITTEY

"The Failure of African Socialism"

Ayittey is from Ghana and a National Fellow at the Hoover Institution with a PhD in economics. He has written for the *Cato Journal*, *Policy Review*, and the *Times of London* and is completing his first book, *Africa Betrayed*, to be published by the Cato Institute.

JIM LEWIS

"In the Belly of the Beast"

Lewis, a vocal opponent of the income tax and the IRS, was the Libertarian Party's candidate for Vice President in 1984 and has just finished a sentence in federal prison for battling the IRS.

JOHN DECECCO

"Sexual Liberty Under Attack"

DeCecco is Professor of Psychology and Human Sexuality at San Francisco State University and is Director of the Center for Research and Education in Sexuality.

LARRY STANLEY

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Stanley, an attorney from New York, is a leading authority on pornography and censorship and police entrapment.

PAUL WEAVER

"How Big Business Betrays Free Enterprise"

Weaver is the author of *The Suicidal Corporation* published by Simon & Schuster in cooperation with the Cato Institute.

MIKHAIL BERNSTAM

"Economic Freedom Under Gorbachev"

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Lobbying for Liberty

The Convention approved several resolutions and passed an important platform plank regarding legislative actions which grass-roots lobbyists should know about. CLNews will present these within the next couple of months in conjunction with upcoming legislation.

Fight Eminent Domain

The first is a resolution supporting a bill introduced by Assemblymember Richard Mountjoy, AB 160, which would put the brakes on condemnation powers of redevelopment agencies. It reads:

Resolution of Support of AB 160: Whereas the Platform of the Libertarian Party of California advocates the repeal of eminent domain and all forms of condemnation of property, and

Whereas the National Platform urges the elimination of redevelopment agencies, and

Whereas AB 160 would prohibit a redevelopment agency from acquiring any real property without the consent of the owner for any purpose other than publicly owned facilities, thereby serving to limit the enormous power held by redevelopment agencies,

Therefore be it resolved that the Libertarian Party of California acknowledges AB 160 as a major step towards our position, endorses AB 160 and urges its passage.

AB 160 will be heard Mar. 15, in the Community Housing and Development Committee. Particularly needed are statements to the committee concerning specific abuses of eminent domain—cases you know about in your community. Stories of senior citizens whose homes have been taken, forcing them to relocate to a government housing unit; accounts of neighborhoods scattered to the winds to make way for a shopping center. Local papers are filled with stories of this kind of abuse, and if you include clippings with your letters, so much the better.

Also, if you're on a government body, like a planning board or environmental commission, try to get the members of that body to come out in favor of AB 160.

Send correspondence (plus clippings and other data) to the The Hon. Richard Mountjoy, State Capitol, Sacramento, 95814; copies to your assemblymember and CLNews. For

more info contact Sarah Foster (213) 259-9580 or Sherry Passmore (818) 447-5500.

Stop the Gun Grab

In the aftermath of the horror of the Stockton playground killings, city councils are rushing to pass ordinances banning "assault" weapons. Legislation has also been introduced in Sacramento for statewide measures to ban whole categories of weapons. According to the Hanford-based Second Amendment Committee, the most urgent action is to stop the cities from passing these ordinances. As individuals we should appear at the city councils to make the point that without the Second Amendment it is only a matter of time before the other rights are trashed. Without the Second Amendment there is no Freedom of Religion, no Freedom of the Press, no Freedom of Speech—because we would be unable to defend those rights against those who would destroy them. The immediate task is: (1) to find out if and when your city council is having a hearing on this matter; and (2) go before that august body and present the Libertarian position.

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Butte			Mark Sweany	916/345-9970
Calaveras			Tom Tryon	209/736-4845
Contra Costa	Tue., Mar. 14	Planning Session for Tax Protest Day	Mike Rother	415/932-4993
El Dorado			Richard Akin	916/622-4785
Fresno			John Graham*	209/275-6220
Humboldt			Daniel Mosier*	707/822-7804
Inyo/Mono Counties		Call County Chair for Information	William Baucum	619/878-2288
Kern			Craig Gifford	805/832-6231
Lake/Mendocino/Napa Counties			Randall Grindle	707/994-4817
Los Angeles County (Regions 61-67)				
-61, San Fernando Valley	Wed. Mar. 8	Stephanie Brody: The AMA vs Alternative Medicine	Phillip Myers	818/780-9943
-62, West L.A.	Thu., Mar. 16	Taylor Rhodes: Your Libertarian Heritage	Robert Weber	213/204-0612
-63, Foothills	Tue., Mar. 21	N. J. Almodovar: Confessions of a Political Prisoner	John Tuttle	818/242-5699
-64, Central L.A.	Wed., Mar. 22	A Representative from Amnesty Int'l; Election of Officers	Don Meyer	213/463-5362
-65, Downey	Wed., Mar. 8	Election of Officers. Call for Details	Clark Marley	213/695-1979
-66, South Bay	Thu., Mar. 23	Election of Officers	Cullene Lang	213/595-6266
	Tue., Mar. 7	Wm. McIlhany: Are Medical Bureaucrats a Danger to Health? (Albert J. Nock Forum)	G. J. Higgins*	213/285-8171
-67, E. San Gabriel Valley	Thu., Mar. 23	Convention Report	Gail Lightfoot	714/623-1117
Marin			Bob Bickford*	415/927-4814
Monterey			Bob Ratto	408/424-9346
Orange	Tue., Mar. 14	Call County Chair for Program Information	Richard Martin	213/426-3069
	Thu., Mar. 16	George Smith: Topic TBA (Liberty Forum Supper Club)	Jack Dean*	714/871-0371
Placer			Bruce Daniel*	916/663-2568
Riverside			Ron Holman	714/684-5218
Sacramento	Sat., Mar. 11	Planning and Discussion (with Yolo County)	David Henderson*	916/922-9973
San Bernardino			Ed Moss*	714/986-6677
San Diego	Tue., Mar. 14	Video (big screen): <i>We the Living</i>	Dick Rider	619/276-7166
San Francisco	Wed., Mar. 15	Video: A Star Trek Episode (by Melinda Snodgrass)	Jim Peron	415/864-0952
	Sat., Mar. 18	Dr. Richard Ofshe: Police Interrogation (Free Exchange)	George O'Brien*	415/731-3031
San Luis Obispo			David Bersohn	805/466-3963
San Mateo			Lyn Sapowsky	415/368-8148
Santa Barbara	Mar. 7	John Spooner: Commercialization of Space	Bob Bakhaus*	805/965-2741
Santa Clara	Wed., Mar. 15	Monthly Business Meeting	Steve Alexander	408/554-1119
Santa Cruz			Bill Anderson	408/476-9753
Solano			Mark Moberg*	707/864-1673
Sonoma			Jim Oglesby	707/894-2658
Tehama			Ross Crain*	916/529-0853
Tulare	Mar. 8 & 22	Study Group Meeting	Roy Kendall	209/732-3237
Ventura	Tue., Mar. 14	N. J. Almodovar: Confessions of a Political Prisoner	Aaron Starr	805/583-3308
Yolo	Sat., Mar. 11	Planning and Discussion (with Sacramento County)	Bryce Bigwood*	916/758-6219

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